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SUBJECT: VISIT OF REP. MCGUIRE

REF: STATE 183386

1. EMBASSY HAS SPOKEN WITH CHETTY AND IRONED OUT INCONSISTENCIES
IN THE SCHEDULES. PER REFTEL SUGGESTIONS, THE SCHEDULE
WILL NOW BE AS FOLLOWS:

FRIDAY 21 JULY

2155 ARRIVE JAN SMUTS VIA PA 201. MET BY AMB. EDMONDSON, S.A.
INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS ASSISTANT DIRECTOR, DR. WILLERS,
SHUN CHETTY AND CONTROL OFFICER MCDONALD.
2200 DEPART FOR CHETTY'S HOME.

SATURDAY 22 JULY

0800 SCHEDULE ARRANGED BY CHETTY.
1000 MEET STEVEN PRYKE, GENERAL MANAGER OF AMERICAN CHAMBER OF
COMMERCE, AND OTHER WHITE BUSINESS LEADERS AT CONSULATE
JOHANNESBURG.

1230 BOX LUNCH AT SOWETO READING ROOM - GUESTS:
E. MASHININI - GEN. SEC. OF CATERING WORKERS UNION
LOUIS KHUMALO - INSTRUCTOR, INSTITUTE OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS
W. KAMBULE - LECTURER AT WITS UNIV. AND SOWETO COMMUNITY LEADER
S. MOTLANA - BUSINESSWOMAN AND COMMUNITY LEADER

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E. MAFUNA - BUSINESSMAN
F. MAZIBUKO - TEACHERS ACTION COMMITTEE, FORMER DETAINEE
1430 AFTERNOON SCHEDULE ARRANGED BY CHETTY.
1830 DRIVE TO PRETORIA
1930 DINNER AT AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE - GUESTS:
MR. AND MRS. B. MAGOLE - NAFCOC AND RECENT ROBBEN ISLAND DETAINEE
MR. AND MRS. ENOCH DUMA, REPORTER AND RECENT DETAINEE

MR. AND MRS. SHUN CHETTY, CIVIL RIGHTS ADVOCATE

OTHER RECENT DETAINEES

SUNDAY 23 JULY

0900 (MORNING AT PRESENT OPEN FOR POTENTIAL VISIT TO MODERBEE

PRISON FOR MEETINGS WITH SECTION 10 DETAINEES KEN RASHIDI,

T. MAZIBUKO, AND T. MATHATHA AND SECTION 6 DETAINEE S. MONTSISI.)

1300 MEET WITH BEYERS NAUDE AT HOME.

1500 MEET WITH PETER RANDALL AT HOME

1730 CHECK INTO CARLTON HOTEL

1930 HOST DINNER AT CARLTON (GUEST LIST YET TO BE COMPLETED BUT

DEBORAH MABILETSA, WINDSOR SHUENYANE AND MRS. PERLEMAN HAVE

ALREADY ACCEPTED.)

MONDAY 24 JULY

0700 DRIVE TO PRETORIA

0800 MEETING WITH NEIL VAN HEERDEN, DFA, SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO

FOREIGN MINISTER BOTHA

0900 MEET FATHER S. MKATCHAWA, CATHOLIC BISHOPS CONFERENCE,

BPC AND NOW BANNED

1000 MEET DAWIE DE VILLIERS - NATIONALIST MP

1130 LEAVE FOR JOHANNESBURG

1230 LUNCH WITH CONGEN - GUESTS:

DCM NELSON AND AFRIKAANS NEWSPAPER EDITORS

2. REMAINDER OF SCHEDULE REMAINS THE SAME AS TRANSMITTED

PRETORIA 4077 EXCEPT FOR POSSIBILITY OF KRUGER MEETING ON JULY 26.

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3. DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS HAS ACKNOWLEDGED REQUESTS TO MEET KRUGER, VORSTER (WHO IS NOT INCLUDED IN THE APPOINTMENTS OF THE CONFEREES), AND MANDELA. THEY HAVE PROMISED TO GET BACK TO US ON THAT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. ON MEETING DETAINEES, BOTH AT MODERBEE AND GRAHAMSTOWN, WE HAVE SO FAR HAD NO SUCCESS. CALLS TO THE HEAD OF SECURITY POLICE AND THE COMMISSIONER OF POLICE HAVE MET REFUSAL BECAUSE "IT IS THE MINISTER'S POLICY NOT TO ALLOW VISITS TO DETAINEES." AS WE SUSPECTED, A DECISION WILL ONLY COME THROUGH KRUGER, WHO IS AT PRESENT OUT OF TOWN. WE WILL CONTINUE TO ATTEMPT TO REACH HIM.

4. RE PARA 6, REFTEL, IT IS PROBABLE THAT THOSE LISTED WILL BE AT OPPENHEIMER'S DINNER. WE WILL ATTEMPT TO ASCERTAIN WHO WILL BE IN ATTENDANCE.

5. RE PARA 11, REFTEL, CHETTY SAYS "IN PRINCIPLE" HE WILL BE ABLE TO ACCOMPANY MCGUIRE ON THE TRAVEL TO BLOEMFONTEIN, BRANDFORT AND THE EASTERN CAPE. WE PRESUME HE MEANS BUSINESS COMMITMENTS ALLOWING.

6. THE ABOVE SCHEDULE IS STILL OPEN TO CERTAIN FLUCTUATIONS. WE WILL HAVE A DETAILED AND HOPEFULLY FINAL SCHEDULE FOR

CONGRESSMAN MCGUIRE WHEN HE ARRIVES.
EDMONDSON

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